

Docket No. 146503US-3 PCT  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: ALWIN TIMMERMANN  
SERIAL NO: 09/486,706  
RCE FILED: February 11, 2002  
FOR: VEHICLE DOOR

"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 3634"

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Marked Up Copy and Letter to Official Draftsman with Attachments (2)

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	12	MINUS	20	0	× \$18 =	\$0.00
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		<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+ \$280 =	\$0.00
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS				\$0.00
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		TOTAL				\$0.00

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- ☒ Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 13, 2002, please amend this  
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 12, 17, 21 and 25 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 10, 15, 20 and 23 to read as follows:<sup>1</sup>

10. (Three Times Amended) A component support assembly to be mounted in a  
vehicle door, comprising:

a rigid double-shell box structure having a first wall facing an interior of the vehicle  
and a second wall facing an exterior of the vehicle, said second wall having at least first and  
second hollows separated by a separating member,

<sup>1</sup>A marked-up copy of the changes made to these claims is attached.

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